

## Message Text

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ACTION AF-07

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 USSS-00 TRSE-00 AGR-05 SWF-01 SP-02

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R 161200Z OCT 74

FM AMEMBASSY LOME

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8396

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OVIP (TEVI-BENISSAN, TETE), TO

SUBJ: COMMERCE MINISTER ON VISIT TO IBRD

AF/W FOR WALTER

REF: STATE 166812

1. MINCOMMERCE AND INDUSTRY TEVI-BENISSAN TOLD AMBASSADOR  
LAST NIGHT HE PLANS LEAVE LOME TODAY (OCT 16) FOR WASHINGTON.  
PURPOSE OF TRIP IS DISCUSSION OF CIMAO PROJECT AT IBRD.

2. TEVI-BENISSAN ASKED AMBASSADOR IN GOOD HUMOR WHETHER  
THERE WOULD BE ANYTHING TO BE GAINED BY HIS CALLING ON  
DEPARTMENT TO DISCUSS HIS REQUEST FOR GIFT OF WHEAT AGAIN.  
WITH EQUAL GOOD HUMOR AMBASSADOR SAID NO, DEPARTMENT'S  
POSITION WAS SAME AS IN JULY (REFTEL). HE APPEARED ACCEPT  
THIS AS DEFINITIVE AND IT NOT RPT NOT LIKELY HE WILL RAISE  
IT ON THIS TRIP. TEVI-BENISSAN HAS YET TO TAKE UP WITH  
EMBASSY OFFER MADE TO HIM IN JULY MEETING TO HAVE US EXPERTS  
MAKE DROUGHT RECONNAISSANCE OF NORTHERN TOGO (PARA 3 REFTEL).  
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